



## BURLINGTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

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### **MEDIA RELEASE**

INCIDENT TYPE:	DATE/TIME REPORTED:	
Bank Robbery	06-03-16	
INCIDENT NUMBER:	LOCATION:	
16BU015863	148 College Street Burlington, VT	
INVESTIGATOR:	INVESTIGATOR CONTACT:	
Ofc. Eric Dalla Mura	802-540-2286	
AUTHOR:	APPROVED BY:	
Lt. Michael D. Warren	Warren	
VICTIM:	AGE:	VICTIM ADDRESS:
Citizens Bank		148 College Street Burlington, VT
SUSPECT:	AGE:	SUSPECT ADDRESS:
James Bristol	44	Burlington, VT
SUSPECT DISPOSITION:		
Lodged		

### **NARRATIVE:**

On Friday June 3, 2016 at 11:30am the Burlington Police received a report of an armed robbery at the Citizens bank on College Street in Burlington. Officers arrived on scene quickly and were able to obtain very clear suspect description which was relayed to all officers working at the time. The suspect made statements that he had a handgun however no weapon was ever displayed at the time of the robbery. No weapon was ever located during the course of the investigation.

A short time later, Officers located a suspect who matched the description walking near the police department on North Avenue in Burlington. The subject was detained and further Investigation revealed that the subject, identified as James Bristol, was the person who had attempted to rob the Citizen's Bank just minutes earlier.

Bristol was lodged at the Chittenden regional Correctional facility.

*Respect ~ Honor ~ Remember*

*Officer James P. McGrath, end of watch May 12, 1904; Officer J. Albert Fisher, end of watch December 15, 1947;  
Officer Robert W. Provost, end of watch January 13, 1954*